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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

SIR:

In a complete response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2005, the due date for which has been extended one month with the Petition for Extension of Time attached, applicants request entry of the following amendment.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6.